

HAY'S NOTE CONSIDERED.

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has given Mr. Bowen full power of attorney.

The state department at Washington has advised the foreign office that Mr. Bowen has sailed from La Guayra. Nothing more will be done from this

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side until Mr. Bowen arrives in Washington.

THE OPPRESSIVE BLOCKADE.

Nothing but Hands Up in Case of President Castro.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Referring to the situation in Venezuela, the London correspondent of the Tribune says the opinion expressed by the leading officials there is that the blockade has heavily oppressed Castro and that he has given up all hope of American intervention.

MILLIONAIRE WILL BUILD PARK AND ARTIFICIAL LAKES

John D. Rockefeller Will Spend Hundreds of Thousands on His New York Estate.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—John D. Rockefeller in purchasing nearly all the land in the Pocantico hills, East View and Hawthorne, for a series of parks is planning the chain of artificial lakes, to be formed by the historic Sleepy Hollow brook which runs through his large estate near Tarrytown, N. Y. Several waterfalls have been constructed along the brook. Mr. Rockefeller intends to spend more than \$200,000 on this work.

Five miles of private boulevards through his park are now being laid out, while Buttermilk hill, which he recently bought, will be lighted by hundreds of electric lights. Work will be started immediately on one of the largest private electric plants in the country on his Pocantico Hills estate. On the summit of the hill it is proposed to erect an observatory 20 feet high so that an unobstructed view of the Hudson river and Long Island sound for miles can be had.

Another improvement planned by Mr. Rockefeller is the construction of a grand plaza on the brow of Kykuit hill, near where he will build his new \$500,000 mansion during the coming spring and several large conservatories.

EXPEDITION FOR ACRE.

President of Bolivia Will Act as Captain General.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Preparations have been completed here for the military expedition to the territory of Acre, says the Herald's correspondent at La Paz, Bolivia. The expedition will leave next Saturday.

President Pando and First Vice-President Velasco have had a conference, the subject of which is believed to have been the presidency. It is said that President Pando has decided to accompany the expedition as captain general.

CHILD LABOR IN NEW YORK.

Exists to a Greater Extent Than in Combined Southern States.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—A remarkable revelation of child labor in this city is about to be made, which many who have studied the matter declare, says the Tribune, will show that more child labor exists in New York than in all the states of the south combined.

The facts on which this revelation is based have been gathered in the last six months by the child labor committee of New York. Since May 1000 cases of child labor in the tenement regions have been thoroughly investigated by skilled workers. These 1000 cases in no way are singular, but representing thousands of others, have been classified and tabulated on blanks containing names, dates, addresses and sources of information, furnishing a mass of original material for reference and publication. Public school teachers, factory inspectors, keepers of boys' lodging houses and the children and parents themselves have furnished the facts.

JOCKEY FOR VANDERBILT.

Rider Will Receive \$10,000 for One Season's Work.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Jerry Ransch, the young California jockey, will ride for William K. Vanderbilt in France next season at a salary of \$10,000.

John S. McDonald, Mr. Vanderbilt's agent, secured the release of Ransch from his contract with Burns & Water-

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house, the big horse owners of the Pacific coast, by the payment of a big bonus. Ransch will continue to ride under the colors of Burns & Waterhouse for a month and then will sail for France. If his riding gives satisfaction, Ransch's contract will be renewed at the end of the season for two years.

IS THE PRINCESS HYPNOTIZED?

French Tutor Believed to Exert Influence Over Her.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The most lurid sensational reports are now current in the Saxon capital, says a Herald dispatch from Dresden, regarding the Princess Louise and the query "Is the princess under hypnotic influence?" is being propounded in professional and journalistic circles.

The Dresden Zeitung prints a statement to the effect that M. Ginon exerted a suggestive influence upon the impressionable crown princess.

CONTRIBUTE FOR BOWEN.

Venezuelan Merchants Come to the Front With Expense Fund.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The American's La Guayra correspondent is authority for the statement that under the persuasion of pressure of President Castro the foreign merchants of Caracas have "contributed" \$5000 to the expense fund of Minister Bowen on his trip to Washington.

WHILE LOOKING FOR COAL.

Carpenter Raked Lumps of Ambergris From the Beach.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—William Shepherd, a carpenter of Lynn, while dredging for stray pieces of coal along the waterfront, according to a Press dispatch from Boston, is said to have come across a lump of ambergris valued at nearly \$250. While at work with a long handled rake Shepherd espied what he thought was a lump of bituminous coal, but it was not as heavy as

coal. A pleasant odor came from it. A seafaring acquaintance told him he had found ambergris and that it was very valuable. Shepherd returned to the beach, where he found several pieces of the mass that he had thrown away. Experts say that the pieces are genuine ambergris and that the value will in all probability reach into the thousands.

THOUSANDS FOR MISSIONS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Nearly \$25,000 was collected in the Episcopal churches of Chicago Sunday for local and foreign mission work, at the request of Bishop McLauren. The collection is the first result of the meeting held at the Auditorium last week under the auspices of the Church club. At the meeting the clergymen and laymen of the diocese declared that the work of church extension should be pressed this year.

In the Cannibal Islands—We devoured a villabe postmaster who happened along yesterday. What time was it? At 4 P. M.

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- \$3.50 Extra Heavy Grey Blankets \$2.25
- \$3.75 Melrose Family Blanket \$2.75
- \$2.50 White California, 11x4 \$1.50
- \$5 Extra Heavy White California \$3.75
- 75c White Crochet Bed Spreads 60c
- \$1.75 Large Size Comforts, filled with Best Laminated Cotton \$1.25

Handkerchiefs

Left over from holiday trade.

- 24c Colored Border Handkerchiefs 1c
- 10c Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs 5c
- 20c Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs 10c
- 25c Fancy Lace Edge 15c
- Broken lines of Initial Silk Handkerchiefs for half price

Ladies' and Misses' Vests

- 75c Ladies' Heavy Fleece 45c
- 50c Ladies' Ribbed Vests 25c
- 25c Misses' Ribbed Vests 20c

REMNANTS

Of all kinds. Mill Ends and Drummers' Samples.

Of these we have two tables stacked high. The prices are all marked in plain figures, former price, also SALE PRICE.

CORSETS

- 75c Boned Corsets 45c
- \$1.50 Thompson corsets \$1
- \$1.75 R. & G. corsets \$1.49

Mackintoshes

- Misses' Mackintoshes, odd sizes first-class quality, \$1.49, \$1.99, \$2.25, 2.50 to \$3
- Ladies' Mackintoshes, all sizes, \$2.99, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50 to \$10

Pillow Cases and Muslins

- 20c White Pillow Cases, 45x36 11c
- 6 1-4c unbleached muslin 4c
- Pillow Case, Muslin, 1 1/2 yd wide 12 1/2c
- 12 1-2 Lonsdale 6 3-4c
- \$1 Sheets, 62x90 50c
- 25c 3x4 unbleached sheeting 16c
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- 50c Fancy Ribbed Underwear 25c
- 75c Heavy Fleece Underwear 45c
- \$1.25 Natural Wool Underwear 90c
- \$2 All-Wool Buff Underwear \$1.50
- Men's Hats 90c, \$1.25, \$1.49 to \$3
- \$1.50 Boys' Three-Piece Suits, during sale \$1.99
- \$8.50 Men's Suits, all sizes \$6.99
- Better quality \$10, \$11.50, \$12.50 to \$20

SKIRTS

- Ladies' and Misses' Underskirts. Made of Dalry cloth, white and colored, during sale for 35c
- Same, with double row lace trimming 70c
- Black Mercerized Satin Skirts 40c
- Better quality, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.60, 1.85 \$4.49

White Muslin Underwear at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Rainy Day Skirts

Dress Skirts and Walking Skirts, latest style, sale prices, \$1.99, \$2.25, \$2.50 to \$5

Ladies' and Children's Hose

- 12 1-2 c Seamless cotton 9c
- 25c Ladies Congo Black 20c
- 25c Cashmere Hose 20c
- 25c Children's Imported Cashmere hose 20c

Dress Goods, Silks and Linings all Reduced--Ribbons of all kinds Reduced--Liberty, Gros Grain and Satin Notions of all kinds 1c up--Umbrellas of all kinds reduced during Sale--Ladies' Capes, Coats and Jackets from \$1.49 up--No Reserve--Sale Lasts Thirty Days